APR 1 5 2004 SE

Appl. No. 09/507,336

Amendment dated April 12, 2004

Reply to Office Communication mailed October 14, 2003

Date: April 12, 2004

I hereby certify that this is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, XA 22313-1450

Signed

Erica L. Canonizado

Appl. No.

09/507,336

Applicant

ANDERSON et al.

Filed Title February 18, 2000

TICLO

APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR ABLATING TISSUE

TC/A.U.

3739

Examiner

David M. Shay

Docket No.

003-005-CP

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 RECEIVED

APR 2 0 2004

TECHNOLOGY CENTER 3700

RESPONSE

Examiner:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Communication mailed October 14, 2003.

Amendments to the Specification: None.

Amendments to the Claims: None.

Amendments to the Drawings: None

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.